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SUBJECT: DAMAGE TO EGYPTIAN GRAIN OFFLOADING FACILITIES AT ALEXANDRIA

REF: ALEXANDRIA 0695, 0697

1. USAID PORT MONITOR DAJANI REPORTS FOLLOWING SITUATION AUG. 17

IN PORT OF ALEXANDRIA WITH RESPECT TO GRAIN OFFLOADING:

2. AT PRESENT THERE ARE SIX VESSELS OFFLOADING GRAIN IN BERTHS
ALONGSIDE PIERS, INCLUDING TWO U.S. VESSELS (TRAVELER AND GEORGE S.
EMBIRICUS) OFFLOADING PL-480 WHEAT. ALL THESE ARE USING EVACUATORS
AND BAGGING GRAIN. IN ADDITION FOUR SHIPS ARE AT ANCHOR IN INNER
HARBOR, OFFLOADING INTO BARGES.

3. LARGE GRAIN OFFLOADING FACILITY NOT IN OPERATION, BUT WORK
IS BEING CARRIED OUT TO ALLOW TWO UNITS (200 TONS PER HOUR CAPACITY)
TO BE PUT INTO SERVICE IN NEXT WEEK OR SO. (IT NOW APPEARS THAT THE
GRAIN OFFLOADING FACILITY HAD THREE UNITS OF 200 TONS PER HOUR
CAPACITY, NONE LARGER, BUT THAT NORMALLY ONLY TWO WERE IN USE AT
SAME TIME.)

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4. NO FIGURES AVAILABLE FOR NORMAL GRAIN OFFLOADING RATE FOR
PORT. APPEARS, HOWEVER, THAT EVERY EFFORT IS BEING MADE TO
OFFLOAD ALL GRAIN SHIPS, ALTHOUGH WITH LESS EFFICIENT EQUIP-
MENT AND METHODS THAT MOVE ABOUT 1500 TONS PER SHIP PER DAY.
PORT AUTHORITIES EXPECT TO BE ABLE TO OFFLOAD INCOMING SHIP-
MENTS WITH REASONABLE DISPATCH. NO ADDITIONAL PL-480 CARRIERS

EXPECTED UNTIL END OF MONTH AND BY THAT TIME PORT SHOULD BE
READY FOR MORE. MCCLELLAND

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